



## **BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005**

### **Jefferson , Colorado [08059]**

Jefferson is one of 64 counties in Colorado. It is part of the [Denver-Aurora, CO \(MSA\)](#). Its 2005 population of 523,427 ranked 4th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Jefferson had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$42,848. This PCPI ranked 9th in the state and was 114 percent of the state average, \$37,600, and 123 percent of the national average, \$34,757. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.9 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 5.8 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1995 the PCPI of Jefferson was \$26,276 and ranked 9th in the state. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Jefferson had a total personal income (TPI) of \$22,427,867\*. This TPI ranked 3rd in the state and accounted for 12.8 percent of the state total. In 1995 the TPI of Jefferson was \$12,931,968\* and ranked 3rd in the state. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 4.7 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 7.3 percent and the national change was 5.9 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.6 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Jefferson. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 75.6 percent of TPI (compared with 74.8 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 16.7 percent (compared with 17.9 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 7.7 percent (compared with 7.3 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings increased 2.8 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 13.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 7.3 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 5.8 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.2 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Jefferson increased from \$12,328,919\* in 2004 to \$12,926,473\* in 2005, an increase of 4.8 percent. The 2004-2005 state change was 6.5 percent and the national change was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of \$7,792,867\* to the 2005 estimate was 5.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.0 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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